

EP - Evergreen Plantation

The Evergreen Plantation Map Unit (EP) represents the Evergreen Plantation Formation within the USNVC. Evergreen plantations near the park consist mainly of white spruce, red pine, or some mixture thereof. They are typically grown for shelterbelts around farmsteads. All polygons mapped as EP are located outside the park.

EP-1A4 appears as a rectangle of dark purple with a consistent nubby texture. This stand is a shelterbelt of white spruce. The rows of conifer trees are evident under the stereoscope. The redder trees just below are planted red pine, but are mapped as part of the farmstead complex to its side. The canopy coverage is continuous and the pattern is evenly dispersed. The tree height falls within the 5-12 meter range. The photo was taken in September 1996.



Area Report for EP Map Unit

Polygons: 4
Hectares: 4
Acres: 10
Average size: 1 hectares, 2 acres

USNVC Hierarchy for EP Map Unit

PHYSIOGNOMIC CLASS	Forest (I)
PHYSIOGNOMIC SUBCLASS	Evergreen forest (I.A)
PHYSIOGNOMIC GROUP	Temperate or subpolar needle-leaved evergreen forest (I.A.8)
PHYSIOGNOMIC SUBGROUP	Planted/Cultivated (I.A.8.C)
FORMATION	Evergreen Plantation (I.A.8.C.a)